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SCHEME FOR PROMOTION OF AGRICULTURE IN U.P.
AVTAR SINGH BHADANA

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to formulate any concrete scheme for promotion of agriculture in Uttar Pradesh during Tenth Five Year Plan;

(b) if so, the amount likely to be spent in Uttar Pradesh during the said period, year- wise;

(c) the agricultural production likely to be increased in the State as a consequence thereof, year-wise; and

(d) the complete details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (d): A number of centrally sponsored schemes such as Macro Management of Agriculture Scheme, On Farm Water Management, Intensive Cotton DevelopmentProgramme, Oil Seed Production Programme, National Pulse Production Programme and Accelerated Maize Development Programme are being implemented in the State of UttarPradesh during Xth Plan. The target for food grain production for 2002-03 for the State of Uttar Pradesh has been kept at 470.15 lakh metric tonnes.

Under the Macro Management Scheme an allocation of Rs. 68.85 crore has beenmade for Uttar Pradesh. In addition a sum fo Rs.16.00 crore under Intensive CottonDevelopment Programme and a sum of Rs.19.17 crore under On-Farm WaterManagement Schemed have been allocated for Uttar Pradesh for the year 2002-03. Under the TMOP Scheme a sum of Rs.89.77 lakh has been allocated for year 2002-03. For the remaining period of Xth Plan funds will be allocated on the basis of yearlyallocation to be made to the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation by the Planning Commission.